water area as would be included if the boundary lines of the county were produced in the direction of their approach and extended across these waters to the opposite shore.

Approved April 9, 1943.

## CHAPTER 350-H. F. No. 605.

An act relating to investment of the funds of cities of the first class.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Cities of first class may invest funds in United States Bonds.—Any city of the first class now or hereafter having any sum in its possession in any fund under the control of its governing body not required for immediate expenditure may invest any part, or all thereof, in the bonds, or other interest-bearing obligations, of the United States.

Sec. 2. **Treasurer to invest funds**.—Upon authorization by the governing body of any such city, its treasurer may invest such funds as such governing body may direct in any of the securities enumerated in section 1.

Sec. 3. **Powers additional.**—The powers granted by this act are in addition to any provisions relating to the investment of such funds now contained in the charter of any such city or in any other law of the state.

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## CHAPTER 351-H. F. No. 606.

An act authorizing the governing body of any city of the first class now or hereafter having over 450,000 inhabitants to subdivide and plat land owned by it, and prescribing the procedure therefor.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Cities may plat land.—The governing body of any city of the first class now or hereafter having over 450,000 inhabitants may subdivide and plat any land owned by it within said city.

Sec. 2. Lands to be surveyed and platted.—When such governing body decides to subdivide any such land it may cause the same to be surveyed and platted. All plats shall be made in triplicate and, before filing, approved by the governing body, which approval shall be certified by the city clerk, and the mayor and the city clerk shall execute the dedication on one thereof, which shall be filed in the office of the register of deeds. The city clerk shall certify the other two copies thereof.. One certified copy thereof shall be filed in the office of the register of deeds and the other certified copy in the office of the city engineer.

Sec. 3. **Present statutes to apply.**—The statutes relating to plats, including the provisions for dedication, surveyor's certification, and filing, shall be followed so far as applicable; and, where any such city is governed by a charter the provisions of such charter prescribing the procedure with respect to the preparation and approval of plats shall be followed; and the duty of the city, as to the dedicated portions of the property platted, is limited by its charter.

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## CHAPTER 352-H. F. No. 664.

(Amending Sections 21.01 and 21.101 Minnesota Statutes 1941.)

An act to provide for the inspection, testing and analyzing of agricultural seeds, and conferring upon the commissioner of the State Department of Agriculture, Dairy and Food certain powers and duties with reference to seed inspection and administration; and amending Laws 1941, Chapter 472, Sections 1 and 2, and repealing Laws 1941, Chapter 472, Section 3.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Law amended.—Laws 1941, Chapter 472, Section 1, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. **Definitions.**—Unless otherwise specifically required in the content of this act, the words and expressions and the definitions herein given shall govern.

The term "agricultural seeds" or agricultural seed" as used in this Act shall include the seeds of field corn, wheat, oats, bar-